



WEST BOUNTIFUL

ARTS COUNCIL

PRESENTS

FEATURED ARTISTS 2012

MARCH



Jean VanderToolen

Jean VanderToolen was raised in Bountiful and has loved art since she was a child. She attended Woods Cross High, graduated from Viewmont High, and attended Southern Utah University. She married Bruce VanderToolen and moved back to West Bountiful in 1981 where they raised four boys, Will, Jacob, Joshua and Bradley. Graduating from the University of Utah in 1998, Jean received a bachelor's degree in Fine Art, and in 2007 became National Board Certified. Watercolor is her first love, but she also loves painting scenery and likes doing portraits. She is currently working on portraits of two grandchildren. She has taught art classes at Highland High School for 13 years.

APRIL



Krista Maurer

Raised on an island off the coast of South Carolina, Krista Maurer had an enchanting childhood. She learned to read the tides, cast a shrimp net, and catch a crab for dinner. Krista landed at BYU in 1997. Seven years, three major changes, and an LDS mission later, she graduated with a degree in journalism and began her career in public relations, eventually becoming Manager of Marketing Communications at Deseret Book Company (music division). In 2009, she left Deseret Book to pursue long-time dreams and goals. She is the owner of Island Belle Photo, a lifestyle photography company. A five-year resident of West Bountiful, she also works as an independent marketing consultant, publishes a magazine for teenage girls, writes (KristaMaurer.com), and draws (IslandBelle.etsy.com).

MAY

West Bountiful Youth

In May, we hope to feature the work of West Bountiful's budding "Young Visual Artists." If you know of any young artists who would be interested in being featured this month, please contact Eric Eastman at 801-292-0664.

JUNE - To Be Announced

Artists' work may be seen in the lobby of City Hall.

CITY EVENTS



West Bountiful's April 13 concert will feature Ransom Note.

Ransom Note

Friday, April 13, 2012

7 p.m. - City Hall

Ransom Note has been singing together for more than four years, and although some things have changed in that time, their dedication to awesome note singing and fun has remained. Consisting of Doug "cool" Cahoon, Russ "the bus" Adams, James "jimmeh" Singer and West Bountiful native Travis "divots" Nicholson, Ransom Note has enjoyed entertaining tens of thousands of people at various venues. They have performed the national anthem for the Salt Lake Bees, Rocky Mountain Raceways, and Real Salt Lake. They have opened for various cover bands at Taylorsville Dayzz. From Cee Lo Green to The Temptations to Ben Folds to The Foo Fighters, there's not a genre they avoid singing. In the words of Travis Nicholson, "You miss this show, and you miss living." We hope you'll join us for an evening of fun dedicated to "awesome note singing"!

Young Artists

Friday, May 11, 2012

7 p.m. - City Hall

May's concert is our annual tribute to West Bountiful's own talented **young musicians**. Our program will offer a variety of instrumental and vocal performers. Come celebrate the accomplishments of these developing musicians. Those who do so will feast on a musical treat presented by dedicated and talented performers.



The Silver Winds Flute Ensemble will perform June 8.

Flute ensemble to perform

Friday, June 8, 2012

7 p.m. - City Hall

Our June concert will bring **Collette Maloy Smith**, daughter of Elwood and Colleen Maloy, and the "**Silver Winds Flute Ensemble**" back to the West Bountiful stage. The six member group was formed in 1989 by women who wanted to continue to play their flutes in spite of the demands of mothering, teaching music lessons, work, church, and community service. Collette tells us the group adds bass flutes and piccolos to the more common C note flutes giving their music a unique depth of harmonies and variations. Each woman in the group is proficient in all three styles of flute.

For more information visit: westbountiful.utah.gov (click on the Arts Council Logo)

If you know someone from West Bountiful whose work we could showcase as a featured artist, please contact Eric at 801-292-0664